

de bonis non, upon his estate, and passed an account in the Orphans Court in October, 1849.

Among the exceptions to the Auditor's report are the following: 1st. "Because the Auditor has charged the administrators, d. b. n., of Joseph G. Harrison, in these accounts with various sums of money and property which were more properly chargeable to John Wood, the executor of Joseph G. Harrison; and because he has stated no account showing the liability of the administrators, d. b. n., and estate of said Wood separately, as should be done."

2d. "Because in account B. large sums of money are charged for the hire of negroes, on the supposition that the same were received, whereas it does appear by the administration accounts, and by them alone, the only proof of such receipts, that other, less and fewer sums was received, and these not by the persons charged therewith."

3d. "Because in account B. these exceptants are charged with higher rent, and more in amount than was received by John Wood—but that no part thereof should be charged against them."

4th. "Because the value of the services of the said negroes, as charged in account B., for three years after the testator's death, belong, under his will, to the exceptant, Matilda B. Harrison."

11th. "Because, in said accounts, or some of them, the Auditor should have assigned to Mrs. Matilda B. Harrison, the widow, so much of the personal or real estate as would compensate her, for the loss she has sustained in the seventy acres of land devised to her by her husband, and afterwards given up to Dr. Johns."

Upon these exceptions the Chancellor said :]

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The accounts settled by Wood, as the executor of Joseph G. Harrison, furnish to a considerable extent, the basis of the accounts of the Auditor, though they have been modified by certain depositions, and other evidence introduced in the cause by the counsel for the administrators de bonis non. No account